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PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)		Docket Number (Optional) NPA012US
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First named inventor: PAUL LAPSTUN

Application No.: 09/575,118

Group Art Unit: 2675

Filed: May 23, 2000

Examiner: Leland R Jorgensen

Title: Method and System for Navigating a Directory

Attention: Office of Petitions
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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee --required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. Petition fee

Small entity-fee \$ _____ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Other than small entity - fee \$ 1,330.00(37 CFR 1.17(m))

2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in the form of RCE + response + credit card (identify type of reply):

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3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ _____ for a small entity or \$ _____ for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE. The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c)(III)(C) and (D)).]

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- Reply
- Terminal Disclaimer Form
- Additional sheets containing statements establishing unintentional delay
- Other: Request for Continued Examination and appropriate fee

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STATEMENT OF UNINTENTIONAL DELAY

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The Applicant respectfully submit that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137 (b) was unintentional.

The Applicant advises that the Advisory Action was not received by the Applicant until May 27, 2003, being two days past the final deadline. The Applicant respectfully submits that he had every intention of continuing with the prosecution of the application and would have filed a RCE had he been aware that an Advisory Action had issued.

The Applicant respectfully request that the petition to reinstate the prosecution of this application be granted and now submits an RCE, an amendment and a petition for extension of time.

A bank draft is attached to cover the petition, RCE and petition for extension of time fees amounting to \$US2,940.

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Attached is a reply to the Notice of Abandonment, dated August 11, including a response to the Office Action, of Examiner Leland R Jorgensen, dated May 7, 2003.

Regards



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